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Advisory Action

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THE REPLY FILED 05 October 2004 FAILS TO PLACE THIS APPLICATION IN CONDITION FOR ALLOWANCE. Therefore, further action by the applicant is required to avoid abandonment of this application. A proper reply to a

final rejection under 37 CFR 1.113 may <u>only</u> be either: (1) a timely filed amendment which places the application in condition for allowance; (2) a timely filed Notice of Appeal (with appeal fee); or (3) a timely filed Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in compliance with 37 CFR 1.114.
PERIOD FOR REPLY [check either a) or b)]
a) The period for reply expiresmonths from the mailing date of the final rejection.
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1. A Notice of Appeal was filed on Appellant's Brief must be filed within the period set forth in 37 CFR 1.192(a), or any extension thereof (37 CFR 1.191(d)), to avoid dismissal of the appeal.
2. The proposed amendment(s) will not be entered because:
(a) ⊠ they raise new issues that would require further consideration and/or search (see NOTE below);
(b) ☐ they raise the issue of new matter (see Note below);
(c) ☑ they are not deemed to place the application in better form for appeal by materially reducing or simplifying the issues for appeal; and/or
(d) they present additional claims without canceling a corresponding number of finally rejected claims.
NOTE: See Continuation Sheet.
3. Applicant's reply has overcome the following rejection(s):
4. Newly proposed or amended claim(s) would be allowable if submitted in a separate, timely filed amendment canceling the non-allowable claim(s).
5. The a) affidavit, b) exhibit, or c) request for reconsideration has been considered but does NOT place the application in condition for allowance because:
6. The affidavit or exhibit will NOT be considered because it is not directed SOLELY to issues which were newly raised by the Examiner in the final rejection.
7. For purposes of Appeal, the proposed amendment(s) a) will not be entered or b) will be entered and an explanation of how the new or amended claims would be rejected is provided below or appended.
The status of the claim(s) is (or will be) as follows:
Claim(s) allowed:
Claim(s) objected to:
Claim(s) rejected: <u>6-8</u> .
Claim(s) withdrawn from consideration:
8. The drawing correction filed on is a) approved or b) disapproved by the Examiner.
9. Note the attached Information Disclosure Statement(s)(PTO-1449) Paper No(s)
10.⊠ Other: attachement

Continuation of 2. NOTE: It appears that the added limitations raise new issues and would requir further consideration and search. Also cache bypass instruction being executed by a processor is well known in the memory art (i.e USP 5875464).

HONG CHONG KIM PRIMARY EXAMINER

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Attachement

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5875464

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TITLE:

Computer system with private and shared partitions in

cache

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APPL-NO:

08/617347

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PARENT-CASE:

The application is a continuation, of application Ser. No. 08/400,300, filed Mar. 6, 1995, abandoned, which is a continuation of application Ser. No. 07/805,406, filed Dec. 10, 1991, now abandoned.

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US Patent No. - PN (1): 5875464

Detailed Description Text - DETX (46):

A similar approach can be used in exploiting the program knowledge available to the compiler to enhance the performance and predictability of cache based memory systems. Processors which support cache control instructions such as cache flush, cache bypass and cache freeze can use compiler support to determine the optimal placement of these cache instructions. Compiler support Includes: identifying frequently executed loops for freezing in cache; identifying random data accesses for cache bypass to avoid "pollution"; providing memory reference dispersion to minimize intra-task cache line collisions in multi-tasking environments; and the control of cache line replacement (rather than by LRU, etc.). The investigation of compiler-aided cache performance enhancements is discussed in detail by Chi in Compller Driven Cache Management using a State Level Transition Model. PhD thesis, Purdue University, December, 1989. EE 89-71.

Detailed Description Text - DETX (59):

While this approach can provide significantly better performance than the simple cache locking technique presented in the previous section, it suffers from two major drawbacks. First, shared data structures can not be kept in cache if internal cache coherence is to be guaranteed. ELXSI addresses this